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TO WHOM BEAUTIFUL IRIS MAY BE OF CONCERN:

Don't be alarmed by this "new look" salutation! We still consider you our good friends and customers, and we still like informality, but we felt our greeting had to be changed. Now that acquaintances have been renewed, let's take a little peek at what this booklet has in store.

The last expensive catalog we printed was the one for 1951. Since then we have found it quite comfortable not having to work until late Fall just to pay for the catalogs and your response to our small folders has been very gratifying. This year we have decided to be more adventuresome and list every variety appearing in our Display Garden, hoping our stock will be sufficient, to fill the orders, or hoping it won't, depending upon your point of view.

And so you will find 402 "Iristocrats" listed here—the best of the new, middle-aged and older varieties. If it weren't so painful, an additional 150 varieties we wish you had, and we "hadn't" could be listed. If you're interested in some real old ones, please, write for more particulars.

For the third successive year, you are invited to

MAKE YOUR OWN COLLECTIONS

The collection offer on all varieties, with the exception of those marked Net, is the same—figure the total amount of your collection, then deduct your collection discount of ½ and send us the balance. For example, on a collection totaling \$7.50, deduct the \$2.50 and send us \$5.00.

AND DON'T FORGET YOUR GIFT IRIS

We've included gift iris valued at ½ of our orders for years but this year we'll go a little further. You may specify your gift iris, equal at list price to ½ the amount of your order, and if we possibly can, we'll comply with your request.

Your invitation to visit us is always open. To reach our gardens from Portland, drive out Canyon Road and continue West two miles beyond Beaverton to Huber Avenue, then turn left and follow Huber Avenue South two miles to our gardens. It's a pleasant drive over hard-surfaced roads. The normal blooming season for our Iris is fom the middle of May to the first of June.

Sincerely, MRS. HOWARD WEED

TERMS

REMITTANCE by check, money order or draft please. Orders are filled from July first until late Fall in the sequence received, unless a certain time limit is given. Rhizomes guaranteed to arrive in healthy condition and all are state inspected. Shipments of \$3.00 and over will be postpaid, any under that amount please send 40c for postage.

Brilliant coppery red. 75c	BALLET DANCER (Kleinsorge 1949) M 36" Rich golden tan and apricot blend. Net \$2.50
ADMIRATION (Smith 1946) M 38" Rich medium yellow iris. \$2.50	BALMUNG (Sass 1939) M 36" Yellow plicata, red-brown markings. 60c
AFAR (Lapham 1948) EM 35" Orange sherbet toned pink. \$1.50	BANDMASTER (Hall 1944) M 38" Im-
ALADDIN'S WISH (Murawski 1945) M36" Porcelain blue, brushed cream 75c	mense powder blue flowers. 75c BARBARA LUDDY (Lapham 1948)
ALBA SUPERBA (Sass 1943) M38" Gigantic pure white. 75c	M 38" Light shell pink, flowers large. Net \$3.00
ALEPPO PLAIN (Sass 1943) L36" Cream plicata, peppered red. \$1.00	BEAVERTON (Weed 1945) M 38" Bi- color of coppery brown and maroon. 60c
ALONA (Deforest 1945) M 38" Ruffled pink and rose blend. \$1.50	BERKELEY GOLD (Salbach 1942) M". Very tall deep yellow iris. 60c
ALPINE GLOW (Kleinsorge 1945) M 36" Lavender, rose and yellow blend \$1.00	BERMUDA SAND (Hall 1939) M 36" Heavily ruffled coffee-tan color. 75c
AMANDINE (Douglas 1946) L 36" Ruffled cream, flushed lemon. \$2.00	BLACK AND GOLD (Kleinsorge 1943) L 38". Gold standards and black falls. \$1.00
AMIGO (Williamson 1934) EM 34" Enchanting, like a purple pansy. 60c	BLACK BANNER (Nicholls 1947) ML 36". Flowers of deep black purple. \$1.00
AND THOU (Graves 1942) M 38" Large Wedgewood blue. \$1.00	BLACK DIAMOND (Schreiner 1951) ML 33". Large ebony blue black flowers.
ANITRA (H Sass 1936) M 36" Large silvery blue. 60c	Net \$7.50 BLACK FOREST (Schreiner 1945) M 33"
ANNA WILLIAMSON (Cook 1946) EM 36" Rose-pink bicolor. \$1.00	Silky blue black, beard also black.
ANNE NEWHARD (Weisner 1940) M 35" Light blue standards, dark blue falls 60c	BLACK MISCHIEF (Schreiner 1953) E 36". Nearly black, rich and intense coloring. Net \$10.00
ARAB CHIEF (Whiting 1944) L 38" Bright burnt orange flower. \$1.00	BLUE MOOD (Whiting 1950) L 36" Blended blue with smoky overcast. \$1.50
ARABIAN NIGHTS (Whiting 1949) L 38" Pink, yellow and copper blend. \$2.00	BLUE PARAKEET (Waters 1950) L 37" Fragrant blue flower with olive haft.
ARCTIC (Kleinsorge 1940) M 38" Creamy white with enamel-like finish. 60c	Net \$6.00 BLUE RHYTHM (Whiting 1945) M 29
ARGUS PHEASANT (DeForest 1948) ML 36" Dykes M 1952. Soft brown self,	overcast. Large blue flower, silvery st.00
orange brown beard. Net \$5.00 ARIA (Tompkins 1948) L 38" Copper	BLUE SHIMMER (Sass 1942) M 38". Fragrant white plicata, peppered with true blue.
toned henna iris. \$1.00 AUBURN (Kleinsorge 1945) M 36". Au	BLUE VALLEY (Smith 1947) MI 28"
burn-red, blue blaze on falls. Net \$1.50 AVE MARIA (Tompkins 1944) ML 36"	Large ruffled flowers of true blue. \$2.00 BLUE VIOLET (Craig 1948) M 36". Rich
Gigantic snow white blooms. 60c AZURE SKIES (Pattison 1943) M 36"	BLUMOHR (Marx 1949) EM 37" Stun-
Beautifully ruffled azure blue. 60c BAGHDAD (Whiting 1946) L 35". Deep	ning powder blue. Net \$5.00 BOLD COURTIER (Whiting 1949) L 36"
gold, metallic finish. \$1.00	Rich brown blend. \$1.00
BALLERINA (Hall 1951) M 34" Delicate pink, heavy orange beard. Net \$7.50	BONNY (Lapham 1948) M 36" Peppermint pink. Net \$1.00

BROWN THRASHER (Kirkland 1941) EM 37". Glistening two toned brown. \$1.00	CHERRY RED (Weed 1944) L. 36" Bi- color of rose and deeper red .75
BRUNHILDE (Salbach 1934) EM 40" Large violet blue self, blue beard .60	CHICORY BLUE (Douglas 1942) M. 42" Large flowers of medium blue75
BRYCE CANYON (Kleinsorge 1944) M L 38". Warm brown or henna copper flower. \$1.00	CHINA MAID (Milliken 1936) M. 40" Blend of pink, golden copper and lilac 75c
BURMESE GOLD (Whiting 1945) M 36" Ruffles of gold, pink and apricot .75	CHIVALRY (Wills 1944) ML 36". Dykes 1947. Ruffled medium blue iris. \$2.00
BURGUNDY ROSE (Hall 1946 EM 34" Amethyst flowers, large and ruffled 1.50	CHI YUN (Deforest 1947) E. 36". Beautifully ruffled white flower. 1.00
BUTTERCUP LANE (Hall 1939 E. 34" Lovely ruffled gold .60	CITY OF LINCOLN (H. Sass 1937) L. 38". Yellow standards, red falls60
CAMEROUN (Cayeux 1938) M 38". Deep purple from France .75	CLARET VELVET (Weed 1941) M. 34" Rich deep wine self60
CAMPANULA (Tompkins 1948) ML. 37" Large flaring blue blooms. Good. 1.00	CLOTH OF GOLD (Whiting 1945) M. 40" Tall rich yellow self75
CAMPFIRE GLOW (Whiting 1947) L 35" Deep ruby with copper sheen. \$3.50	CLOUDCAP (Deforest 1950) M. 40" Largest flamingo pink, up to 7 inch blooms of blossom pink, tangerine beard. \$10.00
CANYON ROAD (Kleinsorge 1946) M. 36". Golden tan with blue blaze on falls.	CLOUDCASTLE (Graves 1944) M. 37" Large wisteria blue blooms. \$1.00
CAPE BON (Tompkins 1945) ML. 38" Arabian red and coppery brown 1.00	CONFETTI (Schreiner 1949) EM. 38" Creamy white and pink plicata. Net \$3.00
CAPTAIN ROYAL (Snyder 1944) ML. 38". Richly colored medium blue .75	COPPER RIVER (Deforest 1945) M 38". Fragrant ruffled flowers of tan and copper. \$1.25
CAPTAIN WELLS (Cook 1941) M 35" Self of glossy maroon purple .60	COPPER ROSE (Cook 1941) M. 36". Rose, copper and tan blended75
CARABELLA (DeForest 1949) L 40" Salmon pink self, pink beard 2.00	CORDOVAN (Kleinsorge 1946) M. 36" Very rich brown-red. Net \$1.00
CARLSBAD CAVERNS (Wilson 1946) L. 38". Heavily ruffled cream and gold 1.00	COURTIER (Hall 1947) M. 33". Deep flamingo pink, tangerine beard.
CARNIVAL PARADE (Sass 1946) ML. 37". Yellow plicata, rose markings. 75c	Net \$2.00 DAFFY (Deforest 1947) M. 38". Cream
CASA MORENA (DeForest 1943) M. 38" Rich deep glistening brown 1.50	and purple novelty plicata. \$1.50 DAMASCUS (Tompkins 1945) ML. 36"
CASCADE SPLENDOR (Kleinsorge 1945) L 38". Ruffled blend of apricot, pink and tan. 2.00	Spanish yellow overlaid with orange. 60c DANUBE WAVE (Schreiner 1947) E.
CHAMOIS (Kleinsorge 1944) M. 38" Beautiful golden tan. 1.50	36". Marine blue flowers. Net \$2.00 DAYBREAK (Kleinsorge 1941) M. 36"
CHANTILLY (Hall 1945) M. 38". Large orchid pink flowers, crimped edges. 1.50	Lovely apricot, gold and pink blend \$1.00 DERBY (Ohl 1943) M. 36". Beautiful
CHARMAIZE (D. Lyon 1949) M. 36" Rich yellow with chartreuse under- tones. Net \$6.00	clear golden yellow75 DESERT SONG (Fay 1946) EM. 30'' Broad ruffled cream flowers. \$1.50

BRIGHT MELODY (Snyder 1942) M 36"
Concord grape color with metallic sheen.
75c

CHERIE (Hall 1947) M. 34" Dykes 1951
Flaring flowers of delicate pink.
Net \$5.00

DISPLAY (Grant 1942) L 36". Mahogany FASHION PLATE (Maxwell 1945) M 36" red iris. Lovely crocus lavender flowers. DISTANCE (Cook 1946) M. 36". A cool FIRECRACKER (Hall 1943) M 34". silvery light blue, white beard. Showy burgundy-red and yellow plicata. DOLLY VARDEN (Hall 1950) M. 36" Large light pink with salmon overlay. FLORADORA (Hall 1947) M 34". Flamingo pink, geranium red beard. \$1.50 Net \$10.00 DREAMCASTLE (Cook 1943) M. 38" FLORA ZENOR (Sass 1942) M 40". Large full flowers of deep orchid pink. Cameo pink, tall growing. 60c \$1.50 DREAMLAND (Snyder 1945) M. 36" FORTUNE'S FAVOR (Deforest 1944) M Solid colored deep hollyhock red. \$1.00 42". Ruffled tan with lavender overcast. DRESS PARADE (Maxwell 1945) M. 38". Burnished gold standards, red FRANCONIA (Graves 1942) M 36". falls. Sparkling cool white iris. .75 \$1.00 DUET (Grant 1942) L. FRANCIS KENT (Deforest 1951) M 38" 38". Honey beige, falls flushed violet. Ruffled cream with pink flush. Net \$10.00 EASTER BONNET (Maxnor 1944) M. FRANK PUGLIESE (Lapham 1947) M 38". Rhodenite pink, gold edge on flow-35". Free flowering bright red. .90 FUCHSIA (Hall 1951) M 34". Very deep EBONY QUEEN (Sass 1947) EM 36" orchid or fuchsia flowers. Net \$6.00 Black purple flowers. Net \$1.00 GALLANT LEADER (Weisner 1939) M EDITH RORKE (K. Smith 1946) M 38". Tall large flowered red purple. 75c 37". Lovely white plicata, marked blue. GALLANTRY (Whiting 1945) M 37". \$1.00 Ruffled dark blue iris. EDWARD LAPHAM (Lapham 1942) L 35". Rich glossy crimson self. GARDEN FLAME (Sass 1941) M 36" Pretty flowers of garnet red. ELLA CALLIS (H Sass 1942) M 36". Deep yellow, orange on falls. \$1.00 GARDEN GLORY (Whiting 1943) L 34" Bordeaux red, smooth flowers. ELMOHR (Loomis 1942) M 36". Dykes 1945. Huge ruffled blooms of red purple GARDEN MAGIC (Grinter 1936) L 38" Rich velvety toned red. 75c EL PASO (Kleinsorge 1949) Lively gold-GAY BORDER (Deforest 1949) M 38" en brown. Net \$2.00 White plicata, maroon markings. ELSA SASS (Sass 1942) M 34". Shim-Net \$2.00 mering sulphur yellow. GEMS OF TOPAZ (Wilson 1948) EM 36" ENVOY (Deforest 1948) M 36". Attrac-Real topaz colored self. tive red purple with falls near black. GENELLEN (Weed 1950) L 38". Large \$5.00 flowers of a pink blend. ESQUIRE (Lothrop 1945) M 38". Rich medium blue purple. \$1.00 GENERAL MACARTHUR (Weed 1943) L 36". Large cream white flowers, gold-EXTRAVAGANZA (Douglas 1941) L 38" en throat. Near white standards, red, violet falls. Large blooms. \$1.50 GENERAL PATTON (Kleinsorge 1947) L 37". Flowers of deep copper-red. FAIR ELAINE (Mitchell 1938) M 38" Net \$2.00 Creamy standards, gold falls. 60c GIBSON GIRL (Gibson 1950) E 36". Re-FAIRY BLUSH (Deforest 1948) M 38" blooms. Cream plicata, edged rose-Delicate pink, tangerine beard. \$1.00 purple. Net \$1.00 FALL DAYS (K. Smith 1948) E 36". GLORIOLE (Gage 1933) E 36". A lovely Rose copper and brown. Net \$3.00 light blue. FANTASY (D. Hall 1947) M 30". Deep rose and orchid pink, tangerine beard. GLORY (Kinish 1947) E 36". Ruffled

\$5.00

cream sprinkled with gold.

GOLDEN EAGLE (Hall 1942) E 34". Smooth rich yellow, flaring form. 75c GOLDEN FLEECE (J. Sass 1940) ML 36". Yellow standards, cream falls, gold edging. 75c

GOLDEN HIND (Chadburn 1934) M 35" Medium sized flowers of deepest gold. 60c

GOLDEN MAJESTY (Salbach 1938) ML 38". Deep golden yellow. 60c

GOLDEN RUFFLES (C. Taylor 1946) M 36". Large ruffled flowers of brilliant yellow. \$1.50

GOLDEN RUSSET (Hall 1946) M 40" Gigantic flowers of light golden russet.

GOLDEN SPANGLE (Cassebeer 1944) E 38". Yellow standards, falls white and gold. 60c

GOLDEN SPIKE (Whiting 1940) M 36" Excellent deep yellow. 60c

GOLDEN SUNSHINE (Schreiner 1952) M 38". Tall soft pure yellow iris. Excellent. Net \$10.00

GOLDEN SYMPHONY (Horton 1944) VL 38". Gold standards, falls lavender edged gold. \$4.00

GOLDEN TREASURE (Schreiner 1936) M 38". Creamy yellow, large blooms.

GOLDBEATER (Kleinsorge 1944) M 36" Very large chrome yellow. \$1.00

GOLD MEDAL (Fay 1946) E 36". Earliest gold, long blooming. 75c

GOLD SOVEREIGN (Whiting 1950) M 32". Brilliant gold iris. Outstanding. Net \$3.50

GOOD NEWS (Kleinsorge 1946) M 33" Broad flowers of mustard gold. \$1.50

GRACE MOHR (Jory 1935) M 38". Large violet flower, Mohr veining. 75c

GRAND CANYON (Kleinsorge 1941) M 37". Rich plum and copper blend. 75c

GREAT LAKES (Cousins 1938) M 36" (Dykes M. 1942) Fragrant, crisp light blue.

GREEN PASTURES (Heller 1947) EM Yellow and chartreuse blend. \$1.00

GULF STREAM (Fay 1946) EM. Very dark blue. Net \$1.00

GYPSY (Kleinsorge 1945) L 38". Gold standards, brown falls. 75c

GYPSY ROSE (Whiting 1946) L 38". Tapestry red blend, copper haft. \$1.50

HAPPY BIRTHDAY (Hall 1952) M 36" Large flamingo pink, very beautiful. Net \$12.00

HARRIET THOREAU (Cook 1944) M 36". Tall orchid pink, large flowers. 75c

HEATH CREST (Whiting 1950) ML 40" Crepe like flowers of heather pink. \$1.50

HEATHER ROSE (Hall 1950) M 34"
Rosy orchid pink, large flowers.

HELEN McGREGOR (Graves 1946) E 38". Dykes 1949. Clear light blue ruffled iris. \$2.00

HERITAGE (D. Hall 1949) E 34". Beautiful deep toned flamingo pink. \$5.00

HI TIME (D. Hall 1950) EM 34". Lustrous golden apricot iris. Net \$3.50

HIT PARADE (D. Hall 1947) M 34" Flamingo pink, good form and substance. \$1.50

HONEYFLOW (Tompkins 1944) M 38' Ruffled tan, copper and rose blend.

HONOLULU BELLE (Becherer 1949) L 36". Lilac standards, deep blue falls. \$2.50

HOWARD WEED (Kleinsorge 1946) M 36". Light red-brown, blue patch on falls. \$1.00

ICY BLUE (Weed 1941) E 44". Lightest frosty blue. 60c

IDANHA (Kleinsorge 1942) E 35". Pink and apricot, blue on falls. 75c

ILLINOIS (D Hall 1949) M 25" ruffled light yellow iris. Net \$1.00

ILSE LOUISE (K Smith 1943) M 38". White plicata, purple edging. \$1.00

INCA CHIEF (Mitsch 1952) M 35". Magnificent iris, in size and also the golden bronze coloring. Net \$15.00

INDIAN HILLS (Grant 1937) M 38".
Rich true purple self. Fragrant. 60c

INDIANA NIGHT (Cook 1942) L 36".

Just like blue black velvet. \$1.00

INNOVATION (Hall 1947) M 34". Cream and rose plicata. 60c

INSPIRATION (Burgess 1936) M 38". A vivid rose carmine flower. Large. \$1.00

JAKE (J. Sass 1943) ML 40". Very large flowers of pure white. 60c

JASMINE (Grant 1944) ML 40". Heavy LOCKWOOD (Deforest 1947) L. 38". substanced golden yellow, Different \$1.00 Brown with blue blaze on falls. \$1.50 JASPER AGATE (Williams 1943) M 34" LONG SHADOWS (Lothrop 1946) ML Brilliant low-growing red-copper. 75c 36". Large flowers of deep dark blue. Net \$7.59 JULIET (Kleinsorge 1946) M 36". Blend of flame copper, salmon and orange. LORD DONGAN (K. Smith 1940) M 37" Rich Chinese-violet and pansy violet. 75c JUNALUSKA (Kirk 1934) M 40". Gold. LOTHARIO (Schreiner 1942) M 36". copper and red blend. Rich blue bicolor, no veining. \$1.00 KATHERINE FAY (Fay 1945) L 36". LOTTIE LEMBRICH (Lapham 1951) M Fine semi-flaring pure white. 75c 37". Color of old fashioned lilacs, large flowers with tangerine beard. Net \$10.00 LADY BOSCAWEN (Graves 1946) M 40". Large white flowers, slightly ruf-LOUISE BLAKE (Smith 1943) M 36". fled. Light blue standards, deep blue falls. LADY LOUISE (Graves 1947) L 42" Standards of colonial buff, falls white LOUVOIS (Cayeux 1936) M 35". Glossy with pleated edge of buff, green midrib. brown bi-color. \$3.00 LOVELACE (Mitchell 1948) M 35". LADY MOHR (Salbach 1944) M 38". Cream and pink plicata. Standards oysterwhite, falls chartreuse. Net \$1.50 brown haft and beard. LULLABY (Hall 1943) M 36". Large orchid pink blossoms. LADY MOON (Whiting 1950) EM 38". Large beautiful white. \$2.00 LYNN LANGFORD (Hall 1946) M 36" Deep toned orchid pink, gold throat LAKE BREEZE (Fay 1945) M 36". and beard. Frosty and ruffled light blue. MAGIC CARPET (Schreiner 1942) ML LAKE GEORGE (Smith 1945) L 36' 36". Creamy gold plicata, marked with Impressive deep blue self. red. LAKE HURON (J. Sass 1942) M 37" MAGIC WAND (Kleinsorge 1946) L 36" 60c Rich medium blue. Golden tan self, falls brushed lavender. \$1.00 LAKE SHANNON (Deforest 1945) M 36" Intense blue, fluted flowers. MANYUSYA (Sass 1944) M 34". Heavily ruffled orchid-pink. LAMPLIGHT (Schreiner 1944) M 34". Flesh-buff self, no veining. \$1.00 MARIMBA (Deforest 1943) M 38". Large cinnamon colored self. LAMPLIT HOUR (Tompkins 1947) M 38". White standards, yellow falls. \$1.00 MAROON DAMASK (Kleinsorge 1946) L LATE GUEST (Muhlstein 1946) L 40" 44". Rich and tall maroon self. Fragrant. Yellow standards, red falls. \$1.00 LAUREL HILL (Plough 1949) L 32". MARY CLOTILDE (Kinish 1944) M 40" Large rose lavender. Mohr veining. Fragrant powder blue. 60c MARY E. NICHOLLS (1939) M 36". LAVENDER AND GOLD LACE (Whit-Cream white with golden haft. 60c ing 1946) M 36". Gold and lavender MARY VERNON (McKee 1942) M 38" blend. Old gold standards, ruby falls. LIGHTHOUSE (Salbach 1936) ML 34". Bright old rose, golden throat. 60c MASTER CHARLES (Williamson 1943) M 36". Deep mulberry purple, brown LIGHTS ON (Lapham 1946) EM 33" haft. Fragrant bright red iris. \$1.50 MATTERHORN (Sass 1938) M 38". LILAC LANE (Whiting 1947) M 36". Large immaculate pure white. 60c Very delicate lilac toned flowers. \$3.50 LIMELIGHT (Hall 1952) M 35". Famous MATTIE GATES (Sass 1946) M 36".

Cool light yellow standards, falls white

\$3.50

banded with gold.

canary yellow falls lighter, with crimped edges over entire flower. Net \$10.00

MAYTIME (Whiting 1950) ML 40". New two toned lilac pink, large full formed blossoms. Net \$12.00 MELANIE (Hill 1941) M 40". Very large ruffled pink flower. MELITZA (Nesmith 1940) E 40". Tall ivory pink, tangerine beard. MELLOWGLOW (Whiting 1942) EM 36' Deep peach and apricot blend. Net \$1.50 MELODIST (Deforest 1946) M 38". Bright blend of henna and gold. \$2.00 MELODY LACE (Muhlstein 1946) M. 37" Cream plicata, pink stitching. MELODY LANE (Hall 1949) EM. 36". Rich golden apricot. Red beard. Net \$3.50 MEXICO (Kleinsorge 1942) M. 36". Bright blend of amber and red-brown. Net \$1.00 MICHAEL (Norton 1946) M. 37". Beau tiful large bridal-rose-pink flower. MICHAELANGELO (Weed 1936) M. 42' Large dove-grey blooms. MICHAEL BARTON (Tompkins 1947) M. 38". Brilliant carmine, magenta and rose blend. \$2.00 MING YELLOW (Glutzbeck 1938) L. 36" One of the best large clear yellows. 75c MINNIE COLQUITT (Sass 1942) M. 36". Snow white plicata with purple edging. \$1.00 MIRABELLE (Whiting) 1941) ML. 38" Blend of apricot gold and pink. .75 MISS CALIFORNIA (Salbach 1937) M. 39". Gigantic lilac pink, tall. 60c MISSOURI (Grinter 1933) M. 37" Dykes 1937. Rich enameled medium blue. MISTY GOLD (Schreiner 1943) ML 33" Beautiful lemon and cream flowers. \$1.00 MME. LOUIS AUREAU (Cayeux 1934) 34". Very attractive plicata, white heavily sanded with heliotrope. MONTAWESE (Becherer 1953) M. 40" A sparkling irridescent light blue. Large flowers, good branching. Net \$8.00 MOONLIGHT MADONNA (Sass 1943) M. 36". Ruffled blossoms of lemon ice. MOONLIT SEA (Sass 1943) M 36".

MOROCCO ROSE (Loomis 1937) ML 38"

Large rose pink, yellow heart.

MRS. STELLA STEDMAN (Covert 1942) M 36". Stately white flowers. MT. HERMON (Lowry 1945) M 42" Gigantic pure white iris. Novelty of white, lavender and yellow.

MT. TIMP (Muhlstein 1945) M 36". Large cream plicata, stitched rose, 75c MT. WASHINGTON (Essig 1937) M 50" Large broad and flaring white. 60c MULBERRY ROSE (Schreiner 1941) M 40". Large mulberry-rose flowers. 75c MYSTIC SHRINE (Weed 1944) ML 36" Blend of copper, rose and red-brown, 60c NANCY HARDISON (Douglas 1945) M 36". Peach pink, with yellow heart \$1.00 NANKEEN (Whiting 1947) EM 38". Cool clear Chinese yellow, attractive. NATIONAL WHITE (Weed 1944) EM 46". Glistening pure white iris, outstanding. NEW SNOW (Fay 1946) M 40". Large ruffled pure white, gold beard. \$2.00 NIGHTFALL (Hall 1942) M 36". Hand some blackish pansy-purple bi-color. 60c NIGHTINGALE (Hall 1942) M 36". Large glistening russet blossoms. 75c NOONDAY SKY (Weed 1940) E 40" Large lavender blue, fragrant. 60c NYLON (Whiting 1940) M 35". Rose-tan large flowers give sheer beauty. OLA KALA (J. Sass 1943) M 37". Dykes M. 1948. Heavily ruffled brilliant yellow OLD PARCHMENT (Kleinsorge 1930) EM 36". Lovely cream and buff flower 60c OREGON SUNSHINE (Weed 1939) E 38' Light yellow flower, veining green-gold. 60c OREGON TRAIL (Kleinsorge 1943) L 36". Tawny salmon, brown haft. ORELIO (Deforest 1947) M 36". Very large flowers, red-brown. Tops. \$1.50 ORMOHR (Kleinsorge 1937) M 38". Silvery cast lilac, veined violet. 60c OVERTURE (Hall 1944) M 34". One of the first flamingo pinks. Tangerine beard. \$2.00 PAGAN PRINCESS (Douglas 1948) M 38". Rose to fuchsia red bi-color. Net \$2.50

\$1.00

PALE PRIMROSE (Whiting 1946) ML. 40". Beautiful yellow, tall and ruffled.

PARADISE PINK (Lapham 1950) L 32" Smooth deep pink with red beard.

PATHFINDER (Whiting 1948) M 36". Luscious pink and orchid with yellow beard. \$6.00

PALOMINO (Hall 1952) M 36". Standards have pink cast, falls ivory with copper cast on edges, red beard. Net \$15.00

PATRICE (Deforest 1945) M 38". Outstanding white plicata with peach edging. 75c

PATRICIA (Sass 1939) M 33". Beautifully ruffled pure white. 60c

PEACH BLOW (Sass 1943) M 36". Fluffy pink plicata, cream background. 75c

PEACH GLOW (Kleinsorge 1943) M 36". Lovely pink blend, yellow beard. 75c

PEG DEBACH (Craig 1948) M 44". Immense violet blue, Mohr strain, Net \$3.00

PIERRE MENARD (Faught 1948) M 38". Large hyachinth blue with canary yellow beard. Net \$5.00

PINK CAMEO (Fay 1946) M 36". This is a beautiful cameo pink, good substance, tangerine beard. \$1.50

PINK CORAL (Whiting 1949) M 38".
Tall and strong growing, a coral pink with center of amber.
\$1.00

PINK FORMAL (Muhlstein 1949) M 38". Large and deep colored flamingo pink.

PINK LACE (Sass 1947) M 36". Medium sized shell pink flowers. \$1.00

PINK REFLECTION (Cook 1942). Crisp clear cut chamois-skin pink. 75c

PINK RUFFLES (Smith 1940) M 32". Heavily ruffled orchid pink. 75c

PINK SALMON (Muhlstein 1948) M 36" Large flaring salmon-pink flower.

PINK SENSATION (Hall 1948) M 33"
Lightly ruffled and true delicate pink, no lilac or salmon tones. \$7.50

PINNACLE (Stevens 1949) M 36". Clear white standards and falls of primrose yellow, beautiful. \$4.00

POT O' GOLD (Grant 1941) M 36". Brilliant gold self.

PRAIRIE FIRE (Tompkins 1945) L 38". Good flame red and copper blend. 60c

PRAIRIE SUNSET (H Sass 1939) M 36" Dykes M. 1943. All the colors of a perfect sunset. \$1.00

PREMIER PEACH (Hall 1944) M 34" Fine formed salmon peach-pink. \$1.50

PRETTY PENNY (Deforest 1943) L 40" Like a bright shining new penny. \$1.00

PRETTY QUADROON (Kleinsorge 1949) ML 35". Smooth and metallic light brown. Net \$6.00

PRINCE OF ORANGE (Kleinsorge 1940) M 38". Flowers of richest golden orange.

PROSPECTOR (Kleinsorge 1950) M 34" Golden yellow, falls have large patch of white. Net \$4.00

RADIATION (Hall 1948) M 33". Vivid orchid-pink, deep tangerine beard and burnt orange glow at heart. Net \$7.50

RAINBOW ROOM (Sass 1946) M 36" All the colors of the rainbow, best describe this lovely iris. \$3.00

RAJAH BROOKE (Norton) M 38". Topaz standards and red falls with band of topaz on edge of flower. 75c

RANGER (Kleinsorge 1943) L 36". A topnotch near crimson-red. Net \$1.50

RED AMBER (Loomis 1942) M 37". Amaranth pink and red bi-color. 75c

RED GLEAM (Lapham 1939) L 34". Brilliant velvety red. 750

RED MAJESTY (Douglas 1946) L 38". Commanding red with golden heart. \$2.50

RED TORCH (H. Sass 1947) ML 34". Bronze standards, falls red. 75c

RED VALOR (Nicholls 1939) L 38".
Garnet red flowers with brown beard.
\$1.00

RED VELVET (Kleinsorge 1939) M 38" Van Dyke red standards and falls of carmine, long lasting flowers. \$1.00

REDWARD (Cook 1942) L 34". Deep crimson red blossoms. 75c

REDWYNE (McKee 1945) M 36". Bright mahogany red self. Net \$2.50

REGAL ROBE (Craig 1948) M 35". Rich and very bright deep violet. Net \$2.00

REMEMBRANCE (Hall 1942) M 38". Splendid shade of light pink. 75c

RICH RAIMENT (Craig 1949) M 34". Cream and red-brown plicata. Net \$5.00 RILLA GABBERT (Carpenter 1946) MM 37". Striking blend of rose, henna and gold. \$2.00

ROCKET (Whiting 1945) M 38". Deep chrome, falls flushed bronze. \$1.50

RODEO (Deforest 1947) M 36". Standards gold, falls white edged gold. \$2.00

ROSE FESTIVAL (Kleinsorge 1945) M 44". Large flowered rose-pink self. 75c

ROSE SPLENDOR (Kleinsorge 1947) M 36". Charming iris of watermelon pink. Net \$2.50

ROSE TOP (H. Sass 1941) M 38". Cream plicata with rose markings. \$1.00 ROYAL SCOT (Hall 1944) M 36". Tall

ROYAL SCOT (Hall 1944) M 36". Tall burgundy red trimmed plicata, cream ground. 75c

ROYAL SOVEREIGN (Stevens 1951) M 38". New deep orange self. Net \$5.00

RUBIENT (Whiting 1942) L 39". Wine standards, red purple falls. 75c

RUFFLED BOQUET (Rees 1947) E 37" Heavily ruffled cream iris. Net \$3.75

RUSSETT WINGS (Wills 1946) M 36" Copper and apricot with russet tone. \$1.50

RUTH POLLOCK (Sass 1939) M 35". Yellow plicata, red markings. 60c

SABLE (Cook 1938) M 37". Popular rich black violet. 75c

SALAMONIE (Cook 1946) EM 36". Large Peach pink blend. \$1.50

SALMONETTE (J. Sass 1946) L 35". Salmon pink, with tangerine beard. \$1.00

SAN ANTONE (Kleinsorge 1947) M 35" Clear sand-brown flowers. Net \$1.50

SARAH KINISH (Kinish 1944) M 38" Clear sparkling blue, slightly ruffled. 60c

SAVAGE (Craig 1949) M 34". Deep bronze red with infusion of magenta. Net \$6.00

SEA LARK (Muhlstein 1946) M 40". Violet blue, flush of purple on center of both standards and falls. \$1.50

SEA OTTER (Hall 1943) ML 37". Old gold standards, brown falls. \$1.00

SHARKSKIN, (Douglas 1942) M 36". Smoothly finished white. 75c

SHARON KAY (Deforest 1946) M 38". Bright shining lilac, white beard, tipped orange. \$1.25

SHISHALDIN (Deforest 1944) M 38". Blend of orange and brown. \$1.00

SIERRA BLUE (Essig 1932) ML 38". Dykes M 1935. Smoothly enameled medium blue. 60c

SIERRA SNOW (Kleinsorge 1939) M 36" A lovely dependable white. 60c

SILVER LAKE (Kinish 1949) ML 37". Fragrant iris of clear blue. \$2.50

SNOQUALMIE (Brehm 1938) M 35". Large cream colored flower. 60c

SNOW CARNIVAL (Graves 1942) M 36". Large and ruffled pure white flower.

SNOW FLURRY (Rees 1939) E 46". Early ruffled white, blue buds. \$1.00

SNOW GODDESS (Becherer 1953) M 36" Extra large white iris, with the ruffling of Snow Flurry, slight blue flush. \$15.00

SNOWKING (Sass 1935) M 36". Strong growing white, always good. 60c

SNOW SENTINEL (Baker 1941) M 37". Attractive large white flowers. 75c

SNOW VELVET (H. Sass 1942) M 36". Velvety textured white flowers. 75c

SOLID GOLD (Kleinsorge 1951) ML 38". Impressive deep gold flower. Net \$12.00

SOLID MAHOGANY (J. Sass 1944) M 36". Rich glowing mahogany red, bronze beard. \$1.00

SON RISA (Deforest 1942) M 36". Coppery pink with gold undertones. \$1.00

SOQUEL (Reinelt 1940) EM 37". Lavender with darker veining, another Mohr. \$1.00

SORRELL TOP (Mitchell 1943) L 38". Yellow plicata, rose-brown trimming. \$1.00

SOUTHERN PACIFIC (Taylor 1942) M 45". Enormous lavender blue rosy sheen. 75c

SPANISH PEAKS (Loomis 1947) M 38". Broad ruffled white, white beard also. Net \$2.00

SPELLBOUND (Linse 1951) M 36". Handsome ruffled red with golden overlay. Net \$10.00"

SPINDRIFT (Loomis 1944) ML 36". Coral pink with fiery tangerine beard. \$1.00

SPRING ROMANCE (Meiss 1949) EM 38". Cream-white ruffled iris, heavy gold beard and golden haft. \$5.00

SPUN GOLD (Glutzbeck 1940) M 38". Dykes M 1944. Golden yellow. 75c

S Q 72 (Loomis 1948) E 38". Tall growing pink bi-color. Net \$1.50

STAINED GLASS (Wilhelm 1939) L 36" Bright coppery red flowers.

STAR (Weed 1952) M 40". Very large flowers of creamy yellow, golden haft and red-orange beard.

STARDOM (Hall 1941) M 36". Copperypink and buff, brilliant orange beard.

STATEN ISLAND (K. Smith 1947) L 38". Bright golden standards, falls red edged with gold. Net \$4.00

SULTAN'S ROBE (Salbach 1945) M 36" Old rose, copper and blue blended. Net \$1.00

SUNNY RUFFLES (Waters 1943) M 36" Ruffled lemon-chrome blossoms.

SUNSET BLAZE (Kleinsorge 1948) EM 37". Stunning iris of red-flame and salmon with a beard of bright gold. \$2.50

SUMMIT (Stevens 1951) M 40". Snow white standards and falls of deep gold. refreshing contrast. Net \$7.50

SYLVIA MURRAY (Norton 1944) M 40" Large and fragrant delicate blue. 75c

TAPAWINGO (Becherer 1953) ML 40" Pink bi-color, standards ivory white flushed lavender-pink, falls deeper shade. Net \$10.00

TEA ROSE (Whiting 1944) M 38". Beautiful rich pink with copper shading. 75c

TECHNICOLOR (Whiting 1950) M 36". Brilliant ruby red self, golden haft. Net \$7.50

THE ADMIRAL (D. Hall 1941) EM 36" Weather resistant violet-blue.

THE CAPITOL (Maxwell 1944) M 38". Very large white with heavy orange beard. 90c

THE RED BRICK (Weed 1939) M 34". Brick red with red veining on amber half.

THE RED DOUGLAS (J. Saas 1937) L 37". (Dykes 1941) Rich deep red purple flowers. 75c

THOTMES III (Kleinsorge 1950) ML 40" Glistening golden tan iris. Net \$10.00

THREE CHEERS (Cook 1945) M 36" Blue-white standards, dark blue falls. Net 75c THREE OAKS (Whiting 1943) ML 40". Rich copper pink, blue on falls. \$1.00

THREE SISTERS (Deforest 1941) M 38" Cream standards, red falls.

TIFFANJA (Deforest 1942) M 42". Cream plicata with rich yellow border.

TIFFANY (H. Sass 1938) M 36". Yellow plicata, stitched rose-brown.

TIP TOP (Hall 1947) EM 35". Blue standards, with white falls. Net \$1.00

TOBACCO ROAD (Kleinsorge 1942) ML 35". Golden tobacco-brown self.

TOP FLIGHT (Hall 1953) M 34". Beautiful apricot colored flower, bright red orange beard. Net \$10.00

TREASURE ISLAND (Kleinsorge 1942) ML 36". Lovely yellow, white center in falls. 60c

TREVA (Deforest 1945) M 36". Large golden apricot flower.

TRULY YOURS (Fay 1949) L 38. (Dykes 1953). Beautifully ruffled flower. Heart of gold with white laced edges to both standards and falls. Net \$15.00

TWILIGHT SKY (Fay 1949) M 36 Lovely clean deep pink, red beard. Net \$2.00

VANITY FAIR (D. Hall 1951) L 35". Smooth tailored clear pink. Deep tan-Net \$10.00 gerine beard.

VATICAN PURPLE (Whiting 1943) L 38". Majestic blue-purple self. \$1.00

VELVET DUSK (Schreiner 1948) L 36" Rich dark purple, blu-brown beard. \$2.00

VEISHEA (Whiting 1943) M 38". Copper, pink and blue blend.

VICE REGAL (Miles 1946) M 36". Deep red purple self.

VIGIL (Wills 1947) EL. Large white, long blooming.

VIOLET SYMPHONY (Smith 1940) M 36". Gleaming lilac-mauve flowers. 75c

VIOLINE (Kinish 1949) M 36". Fragrant blue violet self. \$1.50

VISION FUGITIVE (Wareham 1942) ML 40". Huge cream white iris. \$1.50

VISION OF MIRZA (Deforest 1944) M 38". Cream plicata, marbled rose-brown.

75c

WABASH (Williamson 1937) M 38". (Dykes 1940) White ruffled standards, blue falls with white line on edge. 60c

WAKARUSA (Lapham 1941) M 36". Burnt orange bi-color. Large flower. 75c

WHISPERS (Linse 1951) M 42". Ruffled yellow standards, white falls. Net \$7.50

WHITE GODDESS (Nesmith 1936) M 38". Glistening white, sturdy growing. 60c

WHITE RUFFLES (C. Taylor 1947) M 54". Ruffled white, golden heart.

Net \$4.00

WHITE WEDGEWOOD (Grant 1943) M 38". Large white, blue flush at haft also touch of blue on beard. 75c

WINEBERRY (Clevenger 1947) M 36" Dusky wine-blue. 60c

WINSTON CHURCHILL (Stevens 1944) L 33". Almost a crimson red. \$2.00

WINTER CARNIVAL (Schreiner 1941) M 40". Wax-like pure white flower. \$1.00

WILLIAM SETCHALL (Brehm 1939) L 36". Gigantic flower of a violet bi-tone.

WILLIAM MOHR (Mohr 1925) EM 30" Exotic lavender, purple veining. 60c

WORTHINGTON (Cook 1942) M 36". Clear colored rose red bi-color. 75c

ZANTHA (Fay 1947) EM 38". Gorgeous golden yellow flower, rich gold beard. Outstanding. \$2.50

DEFINITIONS OF TERMS USED

Dykes Medal is the highest award given to an iris by the American Iris Society. One given each year.

In listing the iris here we give first the variety name, then name of hybridizer, year introduced, blooming season and height in inches.

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IRIS CULTURE

Iris are one of the easiest perennials to grow, requiring very little attention, but will repay you for any extra attention you give them.

Sunny well drained soil is best to plant in, working the ground loosely to a depth of about 10 inches, spread the roots of the rhizome, plant just under the surface tamping the soil down firmly. Water the soil before planting and remember not to plant deep as the Iris like sunlight.

Do not over fertilize, bonemeal is good always or use anything you would have, sparingly and not next to rhizome.

For acid soil add lime, sand preferably for heavy soil.

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